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The undersigned has been duly appointed Adm.istrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of John H. Sims, late of Stark county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated the 21st day of August, 1897.

HENRY E. BLISS, Adm.istrator, with will annexed.

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IS THE SILVER ISSUE DEAD?

Republican gold organs are now yawning and repeating, parrot like, that "the silver issue is dead."

The News-Democrat kindly refers these sheets to Senator Chandler's late letter to the Washington Post. Mr. Chandler is a leading Republican light in the United States senate and is really an able man.

The letter is a clear, calm and able review of the question, and he shows that prices have been falling ever since silver was demonetized. He asks only whether the process is now complete or whether we are to look for its continuation—whether the effect he recognizes is a temporary or of a logical and therefore permanent evolution. There can be no mistake as to his meaning:

If the complete result of discarding silver, which lowers prices, and thereby hinders trade, have been already reached, and no further injury from demonetization is to be apprehended, possibly the world may be held to the single gold standard. But if the tendency of the last 24 years to a fall in prices, caused, as alleged, by stopping the coinage of silver, is much longer to continue to prevail the nations of the world cannot be held to gold monometallism. The renewed coinage of silver will be irresistibly decreed by uncontrollable popular movements. The temporary conditions of today or tomorrow will not settle a question so broad and universal as the issue between the new gold monometallism and the old bi-metallic.

The foregoing is right to the point and is well worth considering. Since 1873 there has been a steady decline in prices and values, as all statistics and experience prove. This has not been effected by good or bad crops, in this or that year, for the trend has been all downward.

Now let us ask, is this to continue, or have we got to the end? Is this silver problem settled, as Republican papers now claim?

If we are down to the lowest depths of hard pan and bed rock, will there be a rebound and permanent prosperity? Mr. Chandler discusses this problem as follows:

The fall in silver will not lessen the present or prospective value from monometallism. It only points the moral of demonetization. The gold price of silver falls and so falls the price of all other commodities. Such a fall in the prices in the necessities of life is beneficial if it comes from natural causes, but is injurious according to all political economists if it results from the cancellation or destruction of the money of the world, which is the measure of values. If this wrong to society has been progressing for 20 years it will be wise for the free citizens of America who can accomplish results by votes to begin the inquiry anew (now that the tariff question passes out of sight for a time) whether the work of remedying the wrong ought not soon to begin. This question is not to be answered alone by the money lenders and the persons of fixed incomes. All classes in the community will study it, and will reach and act upon their conclusions. I should be glad if I could think the question had disappeared for the reason that silver has gone down in price everywhere because demonetized, and wheat has gone up everywhere because of a shortage of crops in various countries. But is the question really gone? Let us not be too sure, but make inquiry.

Until 1873 Great Britain was the only nation of consequence that held to the gold standard; but since that time, most great nations have struck down silver as a standard metal and it is a question whether we have yet realized the full effects of the folly and "the crime."

When these McKinley organs prate about the silver issue being dead they ought to remember that President McKinley's silver commission is still in Europe and has not reported as yet. They should think too that no Republican platform ever declared for the single gold standard.

Another point should not be forgotten, namely, that no question is ever settled until it is settled right. Mrs. Ella Wheeler Wilcox's beautiful poem at the end of Mr. Bryan's book tells it finely. The first verse is:

"However the battle is ended,
Though proudly the victor comes,
With flaming flags and prancing nags,
And echoing roll of drums;
Still truth preclaims this motto
In letters of living light,
No question is ever settled
Until it is settled right."

The Republican papers are straining themselves to convince everyone that he is prosperous, and that prosperity prevails. They seem to think that in this way they can mesmerize people and have them see the things that are not, make them think they have abundance when there is nothing in the house to eat. Will they thus convince the starving miners and their families?

Their campaign reading is to consist of continued assurances of prosperity—prosperity that is all in the eye and like the old woman's soap is mostly lie.

Well, so it is, so wags the world away. The cat will mew, the dog will have his day.

The dictating powers of Europe have not yet succeeded in settling matters between Greece and Turkey. The crafty Turk is a star performer and has baffled the powers for fifteen weeks and matters are not yet concluded. The powers are not pulling all together and here the Turk gets in his artful work. The whole affair is now in the hands of the different governments and not in the management of the various ambassadors.

The complications bother for each power wants the best of the arrangement and all are fearful of England.

Mr. Webster, in his Plymouth oration, pointed out that the equal division of real property among all the children was the true basis of a popular government and that where that system prevailed a Republican government must very soon be established.—[Senator George F. Hoar in Forum.]

Neither Mr. Dingley, Mr. Hanna nor Mr. McKinley has as yet congratulated the country on the 50 per cent. increase in the price of sugar trust shares. And yet that increase is by far the most striking result the Dingley bill has achieved up to date.—[N. Y. World.]

Indigestion is often taken for consumption. The word consumption means

wasting away, and dyspeptics often waste away as badly as consumptives. The reason people waste away is because they don't get enough to eat, or they don't digest what they do eat.

If the latter is your trouble, take Shaker Digestive Cordial. This will help you to digest your food and stop your loss of flesh.

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THE LITTLE ONE AWAY.

World ain't like it used to be—colder skies in May;
Summer ain't so sweet to me: The little one's away!

Wish the birds a-singing could reach the ones that roam;
Wish the sweet bells ringing could ring my darling home!

Sit here in the sunshine, solemn-like, and see
Morning glories peeping in where once she used to be!

They loved her little window, with the blossoms and the lights;
Gave her glad good mornings, kissed her sweet good-nights.

Sit here in the darkness, when no winds the maples stir,
And hear the lilies singing a sad, sweet song of her!

I know the illness dream of her, with her the roses roam,
And sunflowers shine like stars of gold and lean to light her home.

World ain't what it used to be—skies are cold and gray;
Summer ain't so sweet to me: The little one's away!

Wish the sweet birds singing could reach the ones that roam;
Wish the glads bells ringing could ring my darling home!

—Frank L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

The Democracy of Columbiana county on Tuesday met in convention and nominated a full county ticket, as usual. Our friends over there never say die. Prior to 1854, Know Nothing year, Columbiana was regularly and reliably Democratic, but since that the old county has continued in the same unhallowed embrace, and seems wedded to the idol. The Ohio Patriot says the convention on Tuesday was largely attended and by the representative men of the party from all parts of the county.

Last year Mark Hanna owned a middle-of-the-road Gold Democratic party, whose members voted for McKinley. They were for gold and they voted for gold.

This year the same Hanna owns a middle-of-the-road Populist party, whose leaders pretend to be for bimetalism but they are in bed with the gold men.

While we respect the gold Democrats for their sincerity, and Hanna for his political daring, we think very little of these Populist purists who have wrecked their party for a few dirty dollars.—[Carroll Chronicle.]

Governor Bushnell has been considerably out of health since the Republican state convention. The governor, it is said, has been much bothered and disturbed, owing to the course of the impetuous Hanna. Indeed at one time Mr. Bushnell threatened to refuse to run. He may yet find it advisable to withdraw. There is much that is disagreeable to honest Republicans in Hanna's arbitrary rule.

It seems France takes the lead in horseless carriages and they are a great success and very popular and very common. They have also tricycles in France for one passenger which run thirty miles an hour, carrying enough fuel to last 100 miles at a cost of eight cents. The fuel used is gasoline, and the vehicles cost from \$300 to \$400. Great changes are impending in the transportation business.

People know more of Mr. Hanna and his ways than they did a year ago. The exposure at the Populist convention told a tale that will not soon be forgotten. It was only a little of the whole infamy that was shown, but it was a pointer sure as shooting. In fact it was a certain shot and counted. It will stick in spite of Mr. Dick.

Colonel Conger, of Akron, in a letter to Judge Grant, declares against Hanna. At the free silver mass gathering at Randolph Park, Wednesday, Judge Grant, during his speech, read the colonel's letter. It is a scorching and shows what a treacherous specimen Hanna has been.

It is suggested that Mr. Jones be ticked from the Republican state ticket and allow Mr. Coxey to take the place of lieutenant governor. This would bring matters better under the Hanna control, and then Mr. Coxey is an old Republican.

To heal the broken and diseased tissues, to soothe the irritated surfaces, to instantly relieve and to permanently cure is the mission of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. F. P. Shanafelt, N. C. Nye, Fischer drug store.

Does your head feel as though someone were hammering it; as though a hammer were flying out of the eyes? Have you horrible sickness of the stomach? Berdoek Blood Bitters will cure you.

No man or woman can enjoy life or accomplish much in this world while suffering from a torpid liver, the eyes of Little Early Risers, the pills that cleanse that organ quickly. F. P. Shanafelt, & Co., C. N. Nye, Fischer drug store.

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In cases of burns, sprains, scalds, or any of the other accidental pains likely to come to the human body, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil gives almost instant relief.

Pertinent Questions.

Why Will a Woman Throw Away Her Good Looks and Comfort?



Why will a woman drag out a sickly, half-hearted existence and miss three-quarters of the joy of living, when she has health almost within her grasp? If she does not value her good looks, does she not value her comfort?

Why, my sister, will you suffer that dull pain in the small of your back, those bearing-down, dragging sensations in the loins, that terrible fullness in the lower bowel, caused by constipation proceeding from the womb lying over and pressing on the rectum? Do you know that these are signs of displacement, and that you will never be well while that lasts?

What a woman needs who is thus affected is to strengthen the ligaments so they will keep her organs in place. There is nothing better for this purpose than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The great volume of testimony which is constantly rolling in, proves that the Compound is constantly curing thousands of just such cases.

The following letter from Mrs. Marlow is only one of many thousands which Mrs. Pinkham has received this year from those she has relieved—surely such testimony is convincing:

"My trouble commenced after the birth of my last child. I did not know what was the matter with me. My husband went to our family physician and described my symptoms, and he said I had displacement and falling of the womb. He sent me some medicine, but it did little good. I let it go on about two years, and every time I did any hard work my womb would come down. Finally a lady friend advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did. The first bottle helped me so much, I continued to take it right along. My back was almost the same as no back. I could not lift scarcely any weight. My life was just a drag to me. To-day I am well of my womb trouble, and have a good, strong back, thanks to Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—MRS. L. MARLOW, Milford, Ill.

CORN AND WHEAT CROPS.

The two great grain crops in this country are corn and wheat, in value being 40 to 50 per cent of all agricultural products. These crops vary considerably one year with another as statistics show. According to the United States Department of Agriculture the value of the corn crop last year was \$491,000,000, and the wheat crop \$310,000,000, making a total of \$801,000,000. In 1891, however, the value of the wheat crop was \$513,472,711 and the corn crop was \$836,439,223, a total of \$1,349,911,939. The value of the two crops in 1891 was \$450,000,000 more than these same crops in 1896, certainly a great difference. The enormous crops of 1891 will explain the prosperity of 1892. It was not McKinley tariff that brought the prosperity by a long shot.

The Agricultural Department estimates the wheat crop this year at 459,678,000 bushels, and corn crop about 1,903,211,000. This gives an increase in the wheat crop over last year of 30,000,000 and a decrease in the corn crop of 300,000,000. At these estimates the wheat crop at 80 cents a bushel would give \$367,742,000, and the corn crop at 25 cents a bushel would give \$490,527,750, a total of \$858,269,750. This shows a gain over last year of \$50,000,000, but a loss as compared with 1891 of \$400,000,000.

Under these circumstances we need not look for such a revival of business as in 1891-92. Besides there are other crops than wheat to consider while figuring out the farmers' income. Corn and the other crops of the farmer are estimated at five times the value of wheat, and these other products have not advanced in price as wheat has. Corn is only ranging at about half the usual price of former years and the same is true of oats, as well as other things.

It is claimed the cotton crop will be worth \$30,000,000 more than last year. But take it all in all it is not thought the farmer will make much gain over last year. The advance in wheat is owing to failure in this crop in other lands, so that our gain is at others loss and suffering and this condition is not likely to be lasting.

HANNA'S GEMS.

"No man in public life owes the public anything."

"Not a damn cent for Forsaker!"

"I don't like him (Forsaker) and I'll be damned if I'll vote for him; on the contrary I will do all I can against him."

"We are getting rid of some of the barnacles (Forsaker and others) that have been hanging to the Republican party!"

"To our mind the manufacturers have the better of the argument. The Journal opposed the duties on carpet wools which were levied by the McKinley law. It believes that the present purpose to make these duties higher still is not wise protective legislation. It lays a burden on the manufacturers which is not justified by any reasonable prospect of stimulating the production of coarse wools in this country."

Cure Your Stomach. You can quickly do this by using South American Nervine. It can cure every case of weak stomach in the world. It always cures, never fails. It knows no failure. It will gladden your heart and put sunshine into your life. It is a most surprising cure. A weak stomach and broken nerves will drag you down to death. South American Nervine will help you immediately. No failures; always cures; never disappoints. Lovely to take. Sold by Durbin, Wright & Co., druggists, Canton, Ohio.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of whooping cough, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling in the throat, you can appreciate the value of One Minute Cough Cure, which gives quick relief. F. P. Shanafelt & Co., C. N. Nye, Fischer drug store.

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Bank checks—Hanna's campaign tickets.

DINGLEY DEFICIT.

Surplus Going at the Rate of Over \$20,000,000 a Month.

New Tariff Bill Is Not a Revenue Raiser and Government Officials are Learning This to Their Discomfiture.

The Cincinnati Enquirer of recent date contains the following timely article:

The receipts of the United States treasury on Saturday were \$623,985 and the expenditures \$797,000, making a deficit for the day of \$173,104. The deficit for the month is \$13,298,755, and for the fiscal year to date \$24,372,200. How is this, under the operation of a tariff law that has been extensively exploited and bragged about as a measure to restore prosperity to the country by securing enough revenue to pay the expenses of the government? In the first month under the new bill the treasury runs behind over thirteen millions of dollars.

What a puny and contemptible performance has been that of the present administration and congress so far! There was a persistent attempt to bamboozle the people with the claim that the hard times were due to the fact that the public revenues were less than the expenditures. There was much lofty ringing of the changes on the proposition that everything would be wrong till the government was run on "business principles;" till it was run on the business idea of making both ends meet. So Mr. McKinley called congress together to "even up" things. No attempt was made to do this by cutting down extravagant expenditures. The appropriations were kept at the top notch, though the people by the stress of the times were obliged to curtail everything but their taxes.

The whole scheme was a humbug, though the pitiful politicians who are now in charge of the public establishment, and who probably think they are statesmen, may look upon their work profoundly. The government is not a business establishment. There is comparatively little resemblance between the public and private business affairs. The government has no income properly speaking. It earns no money. It is merely supported by the people, and it is the duty of the people's agents to make the burden of that support as light as possible. If the treasury runs behind in any given year, the people are good for the deficit. There is no panic, no distrust. The shortage is sure to be made good.

However, on the theory that the government is "in business," and that it must be considered in the light of a private citizen engaged in trade, what a stupendous failure has been the administration effort! Thirteen millions of dollars behind in a single month! We trust for the sake of the peace of mind of President McKinley that he does not read the newspapers during his gay summer outing, and that the military band will play Wagnerian music when anybody attempts to tell him about the distressed condition of the treasury. Indeed, this new law resembles the old McKinley law. It was under that delectable measure that the receipts of the treasury began to run behind the expenses.

Hanna's Hoggishness. Mayor McKisson of Cleveland talks right out in meeting. He defiantly says:

"There is only one Republican in Ohio, and that is Mark Hanna," said Mayor McKisson. "Hanna has broken faith; this is nothing new for him, however, and I am not surprised. According to the understanding reached at the Toledo convention the state central committee was to be allowed full authority in making the selections of who was to constitute the state executive committee."

"It was expressly stipulated that Hanna was to keep his hands off. This he has not done."

"Assuming the right to dictate, he lost no time in making up the list of men that he wanted on the state executive committee."

"Everybody knows that Hanna made his will a law, as he fully intended doing all along. He may believe that his policy may land him in the United States senate, but he is subjecting himself to all kinds of criticism, which may prove a big stumbling block."

"I think Hanna will find that such hoggish actions will have a bad effect on the chances of Republican success next fall."

There are many workmen in Akron, says The Times-Democrat, who are echoing the remarks of Andrew McBride of Youngstown, vice president of the sixth district Amalgamated iron, steel and tin workers, when he said, "The Republican party is directly responsible for all our trouble. This is a hard thing for me to say, as I have always been a Republican, but it is true just the same. Previous to the last election the Republican party made promises without compunction; in fact they lied to us. They told us the mills had plenty of orders on hand, conditioned on the election of McKinley. If he was elected they said the mills would start up right away and keep running. They told us what was not true. If it had not been for their false and alluring promises, I can tell you the goldbugs would not have been so successful."

Small precautions often prevent great mischiefs. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are very small pills in size, but are most effective in preventing the most serious forms of liver and stomach troubles. They cure constipation and headache and regulate the bowels. F. P. Shanafelt & Co., C. N. Nye, Fischer drug store.

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Here is a case. Mr. W. T. Nitro, of 35 Rowland street, says: "For two or three years I had considerable trouble with my kidneys and bladder, causing a constant dull aching pain across the loins just as if some foreign matter had lodged there; muscular rheumatism in my arms, limbs and hips and through under my short ribs, sharp darting pains in the lower abdomen, just as though I had been pierced with a knife and accompanying this there was a urinary weakness. Although I tried many things, I was unable to get relief until seeing an advertisement about Doan's Kidney Pills. I concluded to try them and got a box at Durbin, Wright Co.'s drug store. I felt relieved after the first two or three days."

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